

TODAY
Leo Mahoney in
"UNDER SUSPICION"
Western Drama
"THE OREGON TRAIL"
with Art Acord; also Good Comedy
THURSDAY
"A DAUGHTER OF THE WEST"
and a Comedy

DELITE THEATRE
TODAY
ALBANY-DECATUR DAILY

DEVOTED TO THE INTERESTS AND UPBUILDING OF ALBANY, ALABAMA, AND DECATUR, ALABAMA.

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STAR THEATRE
TODAY
"MY FRIEND, THE DEVIL"
with
Barbara Castleton and an all
Star Cast
and a Good Comedy
THURSDAY
Viola Dana in
"THE MATCH MAKER"

PRESIDENT CONTINUES TO IMPROVE TODAY

CROP FIGURES PUT COTTON PRICE UP

Smallest Carry Over Of Cotton Is Reported In Long Time Period

EXCHANGE REPORTS ON STAPLE SUPPLY

Supplies Of American
Cotton Are Almost
Split In Half

U. S. REPORT ON CROP IS GIVEN

Yield 11,516,00 Bales
Forecast By The
Federal Figures

(Associated Press)
NEW YORK, August 1.—Cotton advanced sharply on the local market today after the issuance of the government report, which came as a surprise. The condition of 67.2 was below expectations. July advanced from 21.20 to 22.00 in a few minutes.

NEW ORLEANS, August 1.—The government crop condition report of 67.2 per cent of normal, with an indicated yield of only 11,516 bales, resulted in a rise of more than \$6 a bale on the New Orleans cotton exchange today shortly after 10 a. m. sending the October position to 21.77 cents a pound.

The trade had looked for a condition report of 70 per cent and a crop forecast of 12,000,000 bales.

NEW ORLEANS, August 1.—The smallest carry over of cotton into a new cotton year since the South became an important producer of the staple was announced in the annual report of August 1, issued today by the New Orleans cotton exchange, through its Secretary H. G. Hester.

The world carry over of American cotton was placed at 2,573,000 bales, against 4,879,000 a year ago, the report added. Consumption of American cotton during the year ending yesterday was placed at 12,631,000 bales, against 12,829,000 during the preceding year.

The total carry over in the cotton belt was placed at 947,000 bales, compared with 1,909,000. The total quantity held on plantations and uncottoned pounds in the South was estimated at 184,000 against 964,000.

Mr. Hester announced that the commercial crop of the year just ended amounted to 11,283,000 bales, compared with 11,653,000 last year. Actual growth was counted at 10,424,000 bales against 8,442,000.

WASHINGTON, August 1.—Cotton production this year was forecast at 11,516,000 bales from its condition July 25, which was 87.2 per cent of a normal, the department of agriculture announced today.

The July 25 condition indicates a yield of about 143.9 pounds per acre. The condition of the crop by states follows:

Virginia 88, North Carolina 64, Georgia 48, Florida 52, Alabama 66, Mississippi 65, Louisiana 68, Texas 71, Arkansas 68, Tennessee 69, Missouri 70, Oklahoma 63, California 88, Arizona 91, New Mexico 85.

WASHINGTON, August 1.—The weekly crop and weather review, issued today at the department of agriculture, contains the following on Southern crops:

Cotton: Continued hot and dry was detrimental to best crop growth, while frequent showers and much cloudy weather over portions of the Central Gulf states were likewise unfavorable. Over the more northern and

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"FATHER OF 57" HELD IN CALIFORNIA



Below: Dr. H. D. Allen and Mrs. Helen Cruze. Below: Myrtle Cruze and Myrtle Enloe.

A sensation has been caused by the arrest in Los Angeles, Cal., of Dr. Helon B. Allen, who posed as the philanthropist manager of schools for mountain children in Virginia and North Carolina. It is ascertained that Dr. Allen, who has adopted 57 boys and girls—mostly girls—between 13 and 17, secured more than \$200,000 from charitably inclined persons in Pittsburg and in Ohio for his schools. It is charged he took Mrs. Helen Cruze, a young divorcee; Myrtle Cruze, 17, and Myrtle Enloe, 18, to California, in violation of the Mann White Slave Laws. California dispatches indicate that revelations that will surpass those of the "House of David" may be expected.

HUNTSVILLE WILL HAVE NEW COLLEGE

(Associated Press.)

HUNTSVILLE, Ala., August 1.—Plans for the opening of the new Huntsville Junior College in September are fast being made and civic and educational leaders of Madison county are optimistic over the prospects of the institutions success.

The institution with authorized capital of \$100,000 is said to be preparing to carry out a course of instruction that will meet every requirement of a standard junior college, with well equipped laboratories, libraries and trained instructors.

Officers of the college corporation are T. T. Terry, president, C. E. Baxter, vice-president, E. I. Taylor, secretary, Ashford Todd, Treasurer.

Work is said to be underway on a new college dormitory of eighteen rooms, to be erected at a cost of \$15,000.

In erecting the new Junior college, the property of the Wills-Taylor private school was acquired for class room and administration buildings.

Those in charge of the school declare that the scores of high school students of the section graduating annually they feel certain that a large percentage of them will take one and two years of work at the Huntsville College, thus fitting themselves for more creditable work at the fourth year college or university.

Davison Suffers An Injured Finger

W. V. Davison is suffering considerable today from a mashed finger caused by a miscalculation yesterday while he was attempting to put a new tire on an automobile wheel rim.

The finger injured in the middle finger of the right hand.

VETERAN GIVES UP PLOW LINE FOREVER

J. H. Baker Suddenly
Called By Death As
He Was At Work

FUNERAL TO BE HELD WEDNESDAY

The Beloved Farmer Is
Found By Family
At Rest In Field

In the absence of all human beings with only his faithful plow horse as an earthly witness, Confederate Veteran J. H. Baker breathed his last late yesterday afternoon in one of his fields near his residence just outside of the town of Flint.

The body of the aged man, he was well into the seventies, was found by members of his family between six and seven o'clock last evening, lying prone beside the plow to which was hitched the horse of the late farmer.

Mr. Baker had fallen upon his right side. There was no marks or bruises upon the body. The man had evidently passed away soon after he had fallen upon the plowed ground.

The lines with which he had been driving the horse had been relinquished. The tired hands of the faithful farmer had given them up forever. As many citizens remarked this morning—"As surely as other men have died in the harness so did Mr. Baker."

Relatives of the departed veteran stated this morning that Mr. Baker had been in the best of health despite his years, that he had eaten a hearty dinner yesterday at noon and had taken his usual noon-day nap, and hitched his horse to the plow and gone about his work as usual.

As late as five o'clock the farmer was heard speaking to his horse, by members of his family, as he would drive the animal along the rows. Mr. Baker was plowing about a quarter of a mile from his home. It is believed he must have fallen to death at some time between five and seven o'clock. When the farmer did not show up as night fell, members of his family went to the field to find that the death angel had preceded them. The body was quite cold when discovered.

Funeral arrangements are being made today for Mr. Baker and he will be buried late this afternoon near the place where he passed away.

The services will be held at the Baptist church at Flint, of which body Mr. Baker was an active member. The services will be conducted by Rev. Benjamin Collier.

Mr. Baker is survived by his wife, five children and one sister. His living children are, Mrs. Cyrus Merritt of Birmingham, Mrs. Roselee Cain of near Flint, W. H. Baker, J. T. Baker and J. M. Baker. The living sister of Mr. Baker is Mrs. D. W. Hamby of Birmingham.

On last Sunday the deceased was the guest of his son, W. H. Baker, and was accompanied to his son's home by his wife. On Sunday night Mr. Baker had a slight cramping spell but nothing was thought of it at the time. Several years ago the deceased suffered from "strained muscles" about the breast and at that time suffered greatly.

Mr. Baker was last in the Twin Cities on July 14 from a record in his bank book which showed he made a deposit in a local bank at that time.

CHINESE FORCES STAGING BATTLE

(By Associated Press)

AMOY, China, August 1.—Firing between invading northern forces and defending southern troops continued all night. Quiet was restored early today but later the gunfire was resumed.

Two Japanese destroyers have arrived to protect the nationals. The Chinese gunboats sent by the Peking government have been attacked by Lang forces under Chang-Tse Ping, Sun Yat Sen's ally.

Admiral Yang is commanding the Peking flotilla under orders of Gen. Peking flotilla under orders of Gen. of the government. There is an confirmed report that other land forces, favorable to Peking are advancing on Amoy.

The attacks on Amoy appear to be a calculated attempt to bring China under a central government.

It is rumored that Sun Yat Sen's southern navy is proceeding to Amoy to attack Admiral Yang.

P. O. AND 3 STORES ROBBED AT GURLEY

(Associated Press.)

HUNTSVILLE, Ala., August 1.—The postoffice and three stores in Gurley were looted last night by thieves who are believed to have gotten less than \$75 for their pains.

The stores robbed were the William Drug company, J. C. Haislip dry goods store, Hereford's grocery. The combination of the safe in the postoffice was knocked out and it is not known if anything of value was obtained.

Bloodhounds have been put on the trail.

BELIEVE JOHNSON'S HAT IS IN RING



Senator Hiram Johnson

Many who heard United States Senator Hiram Johnson's speech at the welcoming banquet given him in New York upon his return from his European tour, assert his words definitely have put him in the race for the republican nomination for the presidency against President Harding next year. Senator Johnson's attack on the Harding policies, especially the World Court idea, indicated a clear cut break between the Californian and Mr. Harding.

CONCERT BY BAND PLEASES AUDIENCE

The Albany-Decatur concert band made its initial appearance in concert last evening at the Princess theater before a meagre but appreciative audience.

The local organization ably aided by several local soloists rendered a program that would have been a credit to professional companies with more extensive training.

The evening was opened with a march, "The Avenger," by King and was thoroughly enjoyed throughout to the closing solo by Mrs. J. M. Pettet accompanied by Mrs. H. O. Troupe at the piano.

The feature of the entertainment was undoubtedly the work of Guy Rihard at the piano and Gus Rihard on the violin. The program committee was extremely fortunate in obtaining these musicians for the evening. Guy Rihard has been a student in the Cincinnati Conservatory of music and has studied under the eminent pianist and Ignace Paderewski. The youthful musicians did solo work and played in duet responding in encore to the plaudits of the audience.

Professor Marston, the director and W. W. Rahm are to be congratulated on the first appearance of the band they have been so instrumental in organizing and upbuilding. The band, organized only a short three months ago promises to establish quite a reputation in musical circles throughout the entire state.

Bodies Of Airmen Taken To Franklin

Members of the transportation department of the Louisville & Nashville Railroad at this point, while inspecting passenger train No. 8 last night had their attention called to the presence on the train of the bodies of Messrs. Roscoe and Cook, Franklin, Tenn., aviators who lost their lives yesterday in Birmingham, while operating an airplane.

Those who saw the bodies stated while they had been prepared for burial most carefully that they showed the signs of the burns inflicted when the airplane fell burning on the aviation field at Birmingham.

The bodies of both men were being taken to Franklin, Tenn.

ALABAMA CLAIMS WOMAN'S LEADER

(Associated Press.)

MONTGOMERY, Ala., August 1.—

Alabama has a real claim on Mrs. Oliver H. Belmont, president of the National Woman's Party.

Mrs. Belmont, before her first marriage to William K. Vanderbilt of New York was Miss Alba E. Smith of Mobile. As a life long resident of the Alabama gulf city, then the Dixie state has a claim.

Mrs. Belmont has been president of the organization since its refunding in 1921 and since that time she has given approximately \$250,000 to the party for the erection of a national headquarters building that faces the national capital.

Plans for a rebuilding are also underway at the present in which Mrs. Belmont, by training a professional architect, is planning a palace of stone to be known as the parliament of world women, and place that their hearings may be heard in open manner.

What companions say is a strange deed is that Mrs. Belmont has made out on the property purchased for the party. It is this. The party wants no men connected officially in any way with the organization. So a clause in the deed provides that should a man be allowed to enter the party, the property would automatically revert to her estate.

Mrs. Belmont's home, "Beacon Towers" on Long Island, New York, is said to be one of the most picturesque mansions in America. Mrs. Belmont spends a great deal of her time in Washington, those here knowing her in official capacity say. While there she is engrossed with her labor of love. Then at her winter home in Italy, she keeps in close touch with the activities of the party.

Mrs. Belmont presided at the dedicating exercises of the building in June 1922 and was the guiding spirit in several women's meetings of national importance last year. She presided over the seventy-fifth annual convention of the Equal Rights convention held at Seneca Falls, N. Y., also last year.

EXECUTIVE SPENT A RESTFUL NIGHT

Harding Seems Certain
Of Recovery Says
Official Bulletin

PATIENT STILL IS MUCH EXHAUSTED

Declared To Be Fairly
Comfortable Today
By Physicians

(By Associated Press)

PRESIDENTIAL HEADQUARTERS, Palace Hotel, San Francisco, August 1.—President Harding today seemed certain of recovery, barring improbable developments or new complications in his illness or the equally improbable increase of the present one.

President Harding awoke shortly after six o'clock after having had almost a normal amount of sleep. His rest which was described as the most nearly natural of any during his illness, began shortly before 11 o'clock last night.

An internal statement, issued at 8 a. m. today, Brigadier General Charles E. Sawyer, the President's personal physician, said that Mr. Harding spent "a very restless night" and his pulse at that hour was 114, temperature 99 and respiration 24.

An official statement, issued at 10:10 a. m. today by the five doctors attending President Harding said that he was "still very much exhausted, but maintained his normal buoyancy of spirit."

At that hour the chief executive, according to the bulletin was breathing with less labor than previously and there was but little cough.

The statement, in full, follows: "The President is fairly comfortable this morning after a few hours of sleep. His breathing is less labored and there is but little cough. The lung condition is about the same as yesterday. He is still much exhausted but maintains his normal buoyancy of spirit. Small amounts of food are being taken regularly and there is regular and satisfactory elimination. His temperature is 99 degrees. His pulse 114. Respiration 24. While progress is being made every care is still necessary to assure freedom from further complications. Signed: C. E. Sawyer, M. D., Ray Lyman Wilbur, M. D., C. M. Cooper, M. D., J. T. Boone, M. D., Hubert Work, M. D.

ANTI-MASK BILL IS UP IN GEORGIA

(By Associated Press)

ATLANTA, Ga., August 1.—An anti-mask bill was before the lower house of the Georgia legislature today, with a favorable report from committee.

Decision to report the bill, introduced by Representative Bozeman of Worth county, was taken last night after a lengthy hearing by the committee at which opponents and proponents of the measure were heard. It would prohibit the wearing of masks in public, except for carnival purposes. The committee vote was 14 to 7.

Trio Is Burned To Death In Dwelling

(Associated Press.)

HAGERSTOWN, Md., August 1.—Three persons were burned to death and three seriously injured in a fire which swept through a tenement house known as the Old Arms House property, on North Locust street of this city today.

The dead are: John H. Carbaugh, 57; Mrs. John H. Carbaugh, 55; Geraldine Carbaugh, 19.

The injured are: Mrs. Pearl Carbaugh Jacobs, 36; Katherine Jacobs, 11, Keller Carbaugh, 23.

The fire was caused by an oil can in the hands of Geraldine exploding.

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SOME VALUABLE INFORMATION
ON KEEPING MOSQUITOES OUT.

The adage what is worth doing is worth doing well applies with emphasis to home screening. That is, if we accept the teaching that mosquitoes bring malaria germs and that germs cause disease. Those who believe not the germ theory nor that malaria is carried by mosquitoes, need not read any further. But any who are of the opinion of the modern scientists might be right as to the cause of malaria poisoning will be glad to learn that although they may have screen wire that is not the 16 mesh recommended as mosquito proof by such men as Col. Wrightson they can make their larger mesh wire into 16 mesh, or even down to a smaller size, by using one or more coats of paint on their present screen wire. Considerable paint remains on screen wire, especially if the paint is rather thick. One coat of paint might be applied to the home screening and after it has dried, the openings left between the little squares can be compared to the openings in a regular 16 mesh wire. Provided the openings left after one coat of paint are still too large a second coat of paint could be applied to the wire.

In this connection it is well to bear in mind that paint will protect the screen wire from the weather and prolong the life of the wire.

It is quite probable that where mosquitoes are found in houses that seem to be well screened, it will be found upon examination they are many misfits of the screen doors, and of the window screens. When screens are fitted they should be home screened, if there are dozens of openings all around the house where mosquitoes or even large flies can enter. And it does little good to

have screens if they are to be left open most of the time.

In a word there are few who cannot make their houses mosquito proof by a little care, a little workman-like effort, and a little paint applied so as to close up the meshes in the screens to where the squares will be 16 mesh. All this can be accomplished at little or no expense, but such a program will take work and careful work. However what is worth doing at all is worth doing well.

MAKE A TOWN WHAT IT SHOULD BE

AND IT WILL JUST NATURALLY GROW.

Just an ordinary business man took it upon himself of late to say in effect that he might be mistaken, but that he believed if a city was made it should be those on the outside of it will come in so badly they will not have to be lured or teased into coming to a city with all its advantages. "They will come in because they are tired and want to better their condition."

A man in question knocks off the idea that the sole purpose of the promoters of cities is to get new industries to locate in them. He blames civic leaders for stressing the pulling power of a city, and insisting on locating new industries to the neglect of weightier matters.

A scene from a meeting of an old fashioned chamber of commerce was thus depicted by the gentleman as follows:

At every meeting of the chamber, one or two gentlemen will bob up and speak somewhat along this line: "If we want this town to grow, gentlemen, we must get new blood, new industries, and right here is where we should spend our efforts and our money." He wipes his brow, seats himself, looks around for approval, and after mild clapping of the hands the meeting adjourns.

The modern teaching in chambers of commerce, is to make every local business enterprise as near what it should be as humanly possible. The service should be the best possible, the goods sold the best possible and the management the best possible. Then modern city builders insist on trading at home or knowing the reason why. They believe at least in giving all local people a fitted right. It does next to no good to have a look in on all business and a chance to bid on the work. When both the business men and their customers do all within their power to get together and do business together, it will be all right to forget all about making your city bigger—business will just naturally follow the right spirit of service and cooperation.

SHRINE CIRCUS TO
OPEN ON TUESDAY

The opening night of the Shrine circus, which starts five nights of exhibitions next Tuesday, will be "greeting" night for the local Nobles; this will also be Masonic night, and President Thos. A. Bowles, of the Shrine club invites all Masons and Eastern Star ladies to attend the exhibition the opening night. Other special nights will be announced later. Of course, the general public is not excluded on special nights; no siree! the "deer people" are welcome at all times, and the wearers of the red fez will extend themselves to care for all who come to the show.

At the chamber of commerce rooms in Albany tonight, there will be a general meeting of all those interested in the success of the circus; President Bowles, who is also general chairman of the production committee of the circus, will preside, and there will be entertainment and refreshments, according to circus officials. All Masons and Eastern Star ladies were invited.

Was A Good Judge of
Liquor

"Since a young man I had a liking for liquor and was considered a pretty good judge of it at one time, but constant drinking gave me stomach trouble which became chronic. My stomach would have been a valuable addition to a gas factory. Doctors did not seem to relieve me. One day my druggist got me to try Mary's Wonderful Remedy, and I am now as good as new." It is a simple, harmless preparation that removes the catarrhal mucus from the intestinal tract and allays the inflammation which causes practically all stomach, liver and intestinal ailments, including appendicitis. One dose will convince or money refunded. By druggists everywhere. Advt.

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STATE OF ALABAMA, MORGAN
COUNTY.

Notice is hereby given that an application will be made to the Governor and Board of Pardons for a parole of Porter Boutcher, convicted in the Circuit Court of Morgan County, November 15, 1922, for the offense of assault with intent to murder and sentenced to serve from three to five years in the State Penitentiary.

TENNIE BOUTCHER
Aug. 1-7.

DO YOU WONDER?

Asks This Lady, "That I'm a Believer in Cardui?"—Had Been So Weak She Had to Go to Bed.

Osawatimie, Kans.—Mrs. E. E. Keast, formerly of Illinois, residing here, says: "We moved to this state eleven years ago, and I had good health for a long while; and then some year or so ago I had a bad sick spell."

"I got so weak I couldn't go. I couldn't stand on my feet at all. I had to go to bed. I suffered a great deal. I was so nervous I felt I couldn't live. I tried medicines, and everything; had the best of attention, yet I wasn't able to get up. I lay for three months, not able to do anything."

"My husband is a bill poster and has circulars distributed. One day, there came to be a Ladies' Birthday Almanac among his circulars. I read it, and told some of the family to get me a bottle of Cardui."

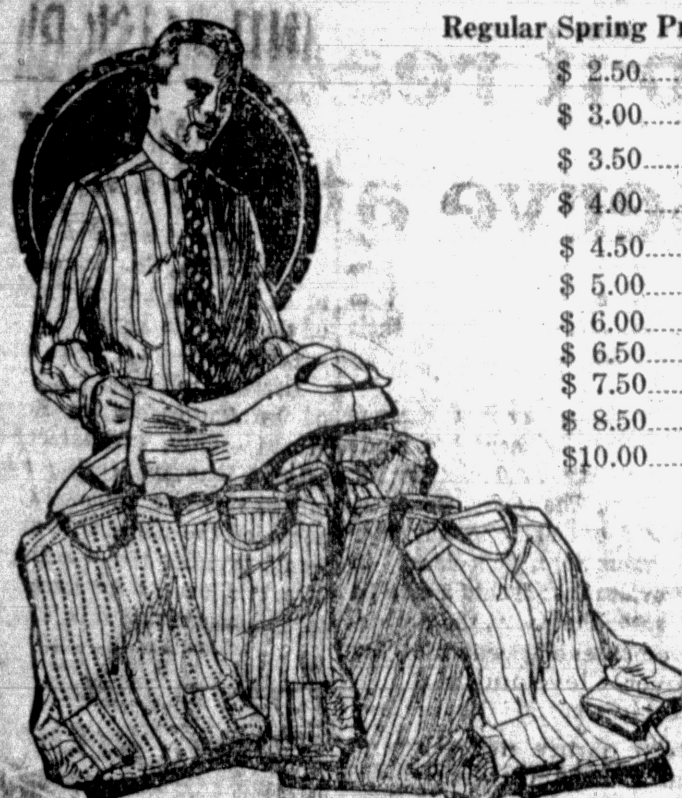
"I quit all other medicines and took it (Cardui) faithfully, and two weeks from the time I began to take Cardui I was out of bed—better than for months."

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\$ 6.00	\$4.55
\$ 6.50	\$4.55
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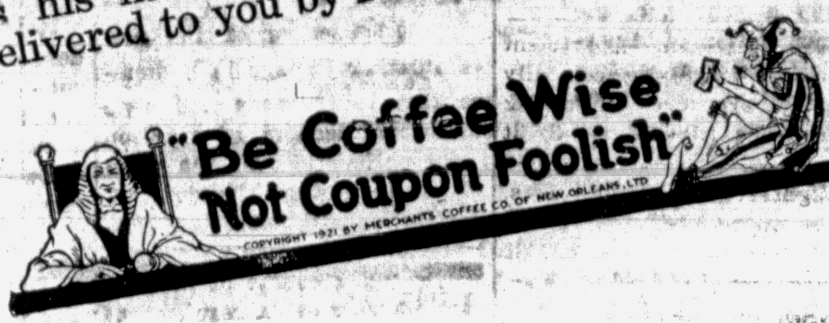


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FOR SALE—Crown organ at a bargain. If interested call at 708 West Moulton street or phone 241-J. Albany. 1-4t.

FOR SALE—Butcher outfit; one large box may be bought right. J. M. Payne, Pulaski, Tenn. 30-3t.

FOR SALE—160 acre farm known as Baker farm West of Decatur on Courtland Pike at \$80 per acre. J. A. Thornhill.

FOR SALE—Good lumber. \$1.00 per hundred feet, see Bond Bros. or call Albany 232. 26-6t.

SALE OR TRADE—Practically new Overland car. Would trade on real estate. Otto Moebes, Real Estate. 31-3t.

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LOST—Bunch of keys on belt hook. Deliver to this office and receive reward. 1-3t.

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WANTED—Bed room and kitchenette unfurnished, prefer lower floor, centrally located. Phone Albany 553. 1-3t.

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GOVERNMENT MEN
PROBE R. R. VALUES

J. W. Waller, C. W. Martin, both of Washington, D. C., are here today representing the interstate commerce commission, in quest of information as to the physical valuation of Railroad property.

The officers made an inspection of the Louisville and Nashville property and that surrounding it on Lee street today.

Mr. Waller stated that the appraisal now being made was a "check-up" on estimates of the value of Railroad property made some years ago. The work being performed by Messrs. Waller and Martin is a part of the large task set by the United States congress many years ago when a bill became a law requiring that a federal commission should place a physical valuation on all railroads in the United States.

BUICK INTRODUCES
ITS 1924 MODELS

Introduced to the public today, the of the unreliability of rumor. For months gossip of what Buick would do on August 1st has been prevalent and often solemnly asserted by the wisecracks as "on good authority." Yet so little of it proves true, and so many complete surprises characterize these cars, that Buick is to be congratulated on keeping its secret so well. There is no question that these Buick cars will be hailed as a substantial advance in automotive engineering, but it will be noted at the same time that the new features are developments rather than innovations, evolutionary rather than revolutionary and consistent throughout with those Buick fundamental principles that have endured through twenty years of Buick manufacture.

COUNCIL TO MEET
FRIDAY EVENING

Owing to the Underwood meeting at the Princess theater coming in conflict with the Friday evening meeting of the Albany city council, and because members of the council desired to hear the address of Senator Underwood, an effort has been made to postpone or in some way change the time of the meeting of the council on Friday night. But due to the fact that objections are to be asked to the consummation of certain parts of the street paving program on Friday night at a certain hour, and because attorneys state that unless the council is in session at the hour named, legal difficulties might arise in connection with future action concerning the paving program. Accordingly it is now planned to hold the meeting of the city council just as advertised. The hope is expressed by council members that they could dispose of all business before the council on Friday night in time to hear Mr. Underwood.

Prof. Kirby Will
Teach At Athens

(By Associated Press.)
ATHENS, Ala., August 1—Professor Kirby E. Jackson, of Nashville, Tenn., has accepted the chair of Science in Athens College for women here, according to official announcement from officials here.

Professor Jackson received his B. S. and M. S. degrees from Vanderbilt University. He was an instructor of chemistry in Vanderbilt for four years and has taken advance work in chemistry at both Peabody College for teachers and the University of Wisconsin.

During the war, Mr. Jackson is said to have engaged in chemical warfare service, and since that time has been head of the science department of Daniel Baker College, Brownwood, Texas.

CLASS MEETS

The T. E. L. Sunday school class of the Central Baptist church held a social-business meeting Tuesday afternoon at the residence of Mrs. C. T. Sewell. Following the disposition of the business, the following program was rendered: a vocal duet by Mrs. Charles Worthington and Mrs. R. E. Wardlow, a reading by Mrs. Dillehay and a piano solo by Mrs. R. E. Wardlow. An ice course was served.

THANKS

The Daily office expresses its appreciation to Mrs. H. D. Grizzard for the gift of a basket of fine tomatoes.

When Tumblers Stick.

When two glass tumblers stick together so that there is danger of breakage in separating them, put cold water in the inner one and place the outer one in warm water. They will come apart at once.—Designer Magazine.

COTTON STANDARDS
WILL BE ENFORCED

(By Associated Press)
WASHINGTON, Aug. 1—Regulations for the enforcement of the United States cotton standards act which goes into effect August 1 have been issued by the United States department of agriculture, according to official announcement here.

A statement from the department of agriculture reads: "This act requires that in interstate and foreign commerce none but the official cotton standards of the United States shall be used. None of the regulations relate to the mandatory provisions of the act."

"The regulations provide for the administration of the act by the chief of the bureau of agriculture economics in the department of agriculture and specifies how the act shall be administered with respect to its optional features."

"Three distinct services are contemplated. 1 Informal classification of samples drawn and submitted by individuals indiscriminately. 2 Classification for purposes of arbitration of agreed samples submitted by two parties involved in a dispute, and the classification of samples, the authenticity of which is established by supervision of the storage and sampling of the cotton."

"The purpose of the informal classification is presumably to assist the owner or custodian to determine the commercial value."

"In the second case, it is provided that when two parties are in disagreement as to the true classification of any cotton involved in a transaction between them, they may agree upon a set of samples to be submitted to the department for true classification or comparison."

"It is proposed in the third case to supervise the storage and sampling of cotton."

Exchange Reports
On Staple Supply

(Continued from page 1.)

eastern portions of the cotton region, conditions were more favorable.

The following note shows the more important conditions affecting the growth and development of the cotton crop in Alabama: Frequent showers favored growth but unfavorable for cultivation. Progress and condition of plants undersize in many sections. Some not fruiting well. Weevil numerous and doing much to very serious damage over scattered areas.

Revenue Bill Is
Facing Stiff Fight

(Associated Press.)
MONTGOMERY, Ala., August 1—The one big fight of the present week looming in the senate is the house revenue bill. Coming battle-scarred from the lower house, it had its first reading last Thursday before the upper house and was referred to the committee on finance by Lieutenant Governor McDowell.

House members seem of the opinion that the amended measure will meet with considerable opposition in the senate.

The bill introduced by Representative Tunstall of Dale was admittedly an administration measure at the time, and many members of the upper house are said to be of little sympathy to change the bill carrying the stamp of the administration's approval.

Just who will champion the bill as originally introduced is a matter of conjecture but the general forecasting is that the fight of the senate will be efforts to put the measure in its original form.

Three Bandits Get
Bank's Currency

(By Associated Press)
BALTIMORE, Md., August 1—Three bandits entered the state branch of the Baltimore Trust company at Baltimore and Commerce street, before banking hours this morning, beat Russell K. Forsythe, paying teller, into insensibility and escaped with \$16,000 in bills.

CITIZENS PROTEST

BIRMINGHAM, Ala., August 1—Expressions of protest from many citizens of Birmingham and Ensley have been heard during the past few days in protest to Senator Hower's bill before the legislature providing for the annexation of the properties of the Tennessee Coal, Iron and Railway Co., to the city of Birmingham. At a recent luncheon club meeting, several speakers declared themselves unable to find the motive back of the introduction of the bill.

The Unfit.

There are two kinds of men who, in Cyrus H. K. Curtis's estimation, never amount to anything, and for these he has no use: The one kind, those who cannot do what they are told; the other, those who can do nothing else.—Edward W. Bok in the Atlantic Monthly.

TRAINING SCHOOL IS
HELD AT HARTSELLE

The training school for Baptist young people held last week at Hartselle was quite a success. Forty-two young people took advantage of this work. Forty-six awards were given. J. E. Lambdin had charge of the senior B. Y. P. U.; Miss Alice Stockton, the Sunday school, Reverend G. C. Walker, the intermediate, and Miss Lurona Speagle, the junior B. Y. P. U. work.

Special lectures were given at night by Dr. Edgar Allen, enlistment worker of North Alabama. Dr. C. C. Davidson, First Baptist church, Decatur, and Reverend S. D. Monroe, First Baptist church, Albany. The public was invited to these lectures. Reverend E. E. Weaver, enlistment worker for Morgan County, who had charge of the meeting and gave many uplifting talks. Added to these were instructive talks by Reverend C. K. Parker and others.

Stockton illustrated, by actual demonstration, the needs met by the Workers' Conference. She also gave a beautiful demonstration of the opening and closing worship of the primary department. Mr. J. E. Lambdin gave a striking demonstration of an ideal B. Y. P. U. In this ideal B. Y. P. U., the group captain on duty, Miss Ruby Weaver, showed all the qualities of a real leader whose enthusiasm comes from the heart. Every part was rendered with the same reverent and enthusiastic spirit. The other officers of this ideal B. Y. P. U. were as follows: President, Miss Thelma Chenault, vice-president, Miss Willie Griffin, Secretary, Miss Madeleine Dix, Treasurer, Miss Susie Aycock, Chorister, Reverend G. C. Walker, pianist, Miss Myrtle Stover, Bible Reader's Leader, Bernice McClure, captain of group one, Miss Ruby Weaver captain of group two, Miss Florence Smith, captain of group three, Reverend E. E. Weaver.

Fifteen volunteer workers have gone out from this training school to teach training classes in the country churches of the county. These are as follows: Misses Thelma Chenault, Madeline Dix, Ruby and Antice Weaver, Florence Smith, Lovenia Buchanan, Grace Crawford, Margie Belle McCullough, Elizabeth Crawford, Mary McKee, Willie Griffin, Susie Aycock, Bernice McClure, Reverend C. K. Parker and Mr. Walker Fields.

The training school closed Friday evening with a Sunday school play. "A much needed operation." This unique play furnished much laughter for all witnessing it. Better than this is the fact that it brought home to many the need of operations on many of our Sunday Schools.

THREE MEN KILLED

(By Associated Press)
NASHVILLE, Tenn., August 1—Three men were killed and five injured, two seriously, when a freight train on the Louisville and Nashville crashed into a freight train of the N. C. and St. L. here early today.

SERVICES FOR INFANT

Funeral services for Julian M. Stockton, infant son of Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Stockton, of Curtis Wells, were conducted at the family residence this morning. The services were in charge of the Rev. C. K. Parker.

Trouble Always to Be Found.
In the long run people are apt to get what they look for. Those who are seeking trouble naturally find it. A happy disposition is, therefore, to be cultivated.—Henry D. Chapin.

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JUNE 30, 1923.

RESOURCES		LIABILITIES	
Loans and discounts.....		Capital Stock.....	\$175,000.00
Accounts.....	\$3,476,203.28	Surplus Fund.....	175,000.00
Stocks and bonds.....	162,373.00	Undivided Profits.....	
Overdrafts.....	3,131.68	and reserve.....	90,397.50
Banking houses.....		Deposits.....	3,259,441.31
(16).....	90,500.00		
Furniture and fixtures (16 sets).....	36,750.00		
Real estate.....	8,100.00		
Other resources.....	16,934.28		
Cash and due from banks.....	505,646.52		
	\$4,299,638.76		\$4,299,638.76

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We want to express our deep appreciation for the many kindnesses and expressions of sympathy during the illness and death of our darling baby, Albert C., Jr., and for the many beautiful florals.

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SOCIETY NEWS

Margaret C. Shelton—Phone Decatur 363

SOCIAL CALENDAR

THURSDAY

Westminster Circle. 4 p. m. Mrs. E. C. Payne.

FRIDAY

Canal Street Rook Club, Mrs. Phillip Humphrey.

HIKE AND BREAKFAST.

A hike was enjoyed on Tuesday morning by the following: Misses Edith Bell, Alice, Mary Lee and Julia Chenault. Florence Adams, Mary Katherine Smithers, Dorothy Leonard, Jane Peerie, Pythress Peerie, Ruth Winton, Lois Walsh, Bertha Mae Spangler, Lorene Sewell, Beatie Holesapple, and Messrs Claude Gallagher John Sherrill and John Chenault.

A tempting campfire breakfast was then prepared and partaken of by these and they were joined by Mr. and Mrs. Chenault, Mrs. Bell, Mrs. Ross, Misses Mildred, Mary and Marjory Bell and Mary Sue Clemm.

CAMP AT MOUNTAIN.

J. C. Conley and sons, Clifton and Paul and Otto and Grady Sims, are enjoying a few days camp at Trinity Mountain this week.

ROSY POSY CLUB.

Dorothy Holmes entertained the Rosy Posy Club on Tuesday morning and those present included, Mabel Pointer, Roby Lee Brown, Helen Coffey, Evelyn White, Marjory Fussell, Elkins Himes, Mary Broadus and Dorothy Holmes.

After the rock game ice cream and cake were served.

Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Thomas and son Robin and Miss Mabel Nesbit motored home last night from a several days stay at Elkmont Springs, Tenn.

Mr. and Mrs. B. J. Nelson, of Albertville, Ala., will arrive in a few days for a visit to their parents, Mr. and Mrs. James A. Nelson.

Miss Josie Harris of Birmingham is visiting her aunt, Mrs. J. C. Cowley.

There will be a meeting of the Central Albany Parent Teachers Association on Friday afternoon at 4 o'clock at the home of Mrs. L. P. Troup.

Mrs. L. P. Troup is expected home Thursday from Nashville, Tenn., where she has been the guest of her mother.

Miss Mildred Chunn is resting well at her home on Sherman street after having her tonsils removed on Tuesday morning.

Mrs. J. O. Camp is expected home on Thursday from Asheville, N. C., where she has been at the bedside of her sister, Mrs. R. E. Ford, who is quite ill at her home there.

Mrs. Blackwell and family, of Florence were the weekend guests of her daughter, Mrs. C. C. Fly.

Miss Nannie Sue Compton, of Meridian, Miss., will be the guest this week of Mr. and Mrs. J. K. Brown en route to Nashville, where she will visit relatives for a month.

Mrs. Will Johnson and three little daughters, Ruby, Willie Mae and Lillie Ruth, of Courtland Pike, spent Tuesday with Mrs. Robert Bryan.

Mrs. B. B. Pickens and her house guest, Mrs. Flewellen, of Texas will leave Friday for St. Louis, Mo., where they will be joined by Mrs. Frederick Stutz for a motor trip to Chicago, Ill.

Mrs. John Brown has been advised of the death of Miss Beulah Hamilton of Somerville, Route 3.

Mrs. Will Linderman was carried to the Benevolent Hospital on Tuesday for an operation for appendicitis.

Mrs. Carl Kihl was operated on at the Benevolent Hospital on Monday morning for appendicitis and is doing well.

Mr. and Mrs. W. G. Campbell and daughter Miss Viola have returned from a visit to relatives in Texas.

Miss Mary Powell of Minor, Hill, Tennessee is a pleasant visitor of Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Powell.

Miss Betty Hargrove of Prospect, Tenn. is spending the week with relatives in Albany.

Miss Myrtle Evans has returned from Nashville, Tenn., having spent her vacation with Mr. and Mrs. James Head, and son James, Jr., Mrs. Head delightfully entertained in their lovely new home, at Woodbine station. Mrs. Head will be pleasantly remembered here as Miss Odette Hamilton.

Mrs. Tennis Tidwell, following an operation at the Benevolent Hospital is recovering rapidly and will probably be able to leave the institution in a few days.

Miss Audrey Stamps is visiting friends in Birmingham.

Misses Hattie and Hettie Aycock, accompanied by their father, W. H. Aycock, left today by motor for Atlanta. Mr. Aycock will return home in a few days, but Misses Aycock will visit in Augusta, Washington, Gainesville and other points before returning.

PERSONALS

Paul Crawford motored to Elkmont Springs, Tenn., for a few days stay.

W. N. Cowden after spending ten days with his family here, returned to Memphis, Tenn., on Tuesday morning.

L. D. Dix, of Mobile, is here on a visit to his brothers, T. M. and Paul Dix. Mr. Dix who is District Governor of the International Rotary Clubs is on his way to the Tri-Cities where he will deliver an address to a meeting of the Rotary Club of Sheffield.

J. Y. Newton and family will leave soon for Knoxville where they will make their future home.

Welch Dinmore is improving each day and will be able in a short time to return home after an operation at the hospital.

SENATOR HARRIS

MAY ATTEND MEET

The supporters of Senator Underwood for president in this section announced this morning there was a strong possibility of Senator W. J. Harris of Georgia, who was a leader in Georgia for the nomination of Mr. Underwood for president eight years ago, attending the Princess theater meeting Friday night. Senator Harris is now at Wheeler station, where with his wife and daughter he is the guest of Misses Annie and Lucy Wheeler, Senator Harris being a brother-in-law of the late General Joseph Wheeler.

A special invitation has been dispatched to Senator Harris urging him to attend the Underwood speaking Friday night and the Kiwanis Club dinner to be given at the Lyons Hotel in honor of Senator Underwood.

It was stated by close friends of Senator Underwood this morning that Senator Harris is a warm personal friend of Senator Underwood as well as a sincere admirer of his ability as a statesman.

Somerville News

Hal Barclift of Hartselle was a visitor Sunday at Mr. Jim Cains.

The revival at the M. E. Church closed Sunday night with a few additions to the church. Rev. Clark of Falkville preaching many fine sermons.

Miss Leona Waugh of Hartselle is visiting here.

Mrs. Silas Brown and children Pascal and Guyer returned to their home near Danville Sunday after a visit to her parents, Mr. and Mrs. P. A. Guyer.

The quarterly meeting of the Methodist Church was held at Antioch Saturday.

Mrs. Martha Bailey and son, Iven were guests Saturday night of her son O. W. Bailey and family here.

A. M. Peck and family spent Saturday night and Sunday here with relatives.

Mrs. J. A. Garrison of route one spent several days here last week with relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. P. E. Garrison of Hartselle were here Saturday, they were accompanied back home by their son Leldon and family.

C. P. Johnston and George Hollingshead motored to Florence Sunday.

A. M. Peck and family left Tuesday for Huntsville to visit Mr. and Mrs. "Doc" Gardner for several days.

Mrs. John Riley and children of Union spent Sunday with Mrs. O. W. Bailey.

Mrs. Mary Peck left Tuesday for Huntsville to spend several days with her daughter, Mrs. J. D. Rice, Jr.

Lyle and Lloyd Cain were in Hartselle Tuesday on business.

Wilburn Wade of Albany was the overnight guest of his mother, Monday.

There is a lot of typhoid fever near here. Six members of Mr. Jim Plemmon's family, being sick, their daughter, Addie, being very low.

Mrs. John Gilchrist was the guest Sunday of her brother, Mr. Bill Hardage at Valhermosa Springs.

ACTION EXPECTED

MONTGOMERY, Ala., August 1—Action on the Mobile port improvement bill is expected in the legislature this week, observers say. The bill was introduced in the lower house last week to provide for immediate activity in the improvement of the port to the amount of \$10,000,000.

Millions Killed for Furs. It is estimated that nearly 70,000,000 wild animals are killed yearly for their fur.

Discretion Always Well. Without discretion, people may be overlaid with unreasonable affection and choked with too much familiarity.—Jeremy Collier.

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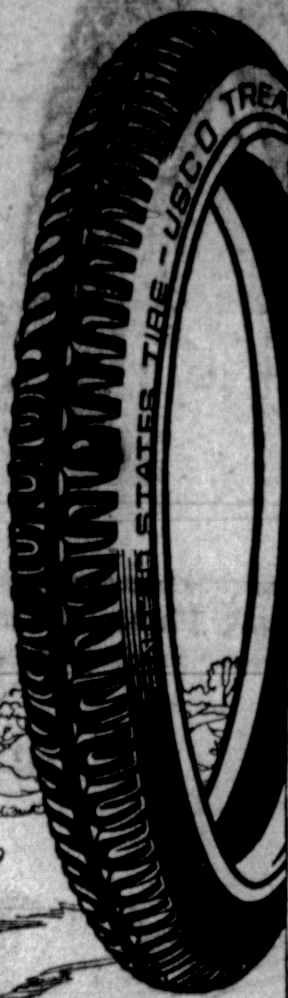
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New York Letter

by Lucy Jeanne Price

(By Lucy Jeanne Price.)

NEW YORK, August 1—It is easier
to change one's parents than one's type
of surroundings? One sixteen year
old girl evidently thinks so. The fol-
lowing advertisement has appeared in
a local morning paper: "Personal—
Adoption—American born girl, 16
years, healthy, talented, sunny dispo-
sition, excellent horsewoman, fond of
outdoor sports, musical, father of high
British descent, mother of Austrian
noble family; unhappy under present
reduced circumstances, wishes adop-
tion by wealthy family of unquestion-
ed reputation. Address P. O. Box
1216, City Hall Station, New York."
Charles McCready, of Plainfield, N. J.,
who stands responsible for the adver-
tisement, explains that the girl was
born in New York sixteen years ago;
that both of her parents were ruined
financially by the war, and that she
prefers some un-ruined family.

That construction of ocean-going
yachts for the millionaires of New
York and other cities is falling off is
the statement of shipyard and steam-
ship officials, who declare that the
world tours by chartered steamers are
fast supplanting yachting cruises by
the wealthy. No more are to be seen
new vessels of the size of the famous
"Morgan-Carsair," and ships of its
class. The decline in yachting is due
not alone to the income or excess
profits tax but to the advent of "super-
yachting," a new sport which enables
a party of from 400 to 500 to tour the
world together on a grand scale, and
affords greater opportunity to meet
new and charming persons and to
participate in highly entertaining so-
cial functions aboard ship. The govern-
ment conducted a little party on

this plan not so long ago and the ad-
ministration has been kept busy an-
swering for it ever since. Great
trans-Atlantic liners are now taken
from their regular schedules and
placed at the disposal, for a nominal
sum, of organized cruise parties, who
travel in a luxury that no yacht could
afford. The Franceonia is used for
this type of cruise, under the manage-
ment, by special charter of the Ameri-
can Express Company, and its sailing
list for a trip in early November
reads like tenants in an apartment
yacht. How society pegs along when
so many are away, I don't know.
Perhaps that is when the lesser fry
manage to creep in the golden circle.

The middle-aged generation of New
York got a reflective thrill out of a
slipper auction off with a lot of dis-
carded stuff in one of our auction
rooms. The fragile bit of footwear
once belonged to Carmencita, the in-
comparable dancer of a quarter of a
century or more ago. Never did a
personality take hold of this city more
completely than did this untaught
child of Spain, and no opera favorite
ever became the toast and the idol of
Broadway and Fifth avenue in
shorter time. So much was she talk-
ed, of so much were the enconiums
heaped upon her, that the more daring
members of the most exclusive circle
arranged private performances in their
homes at which their guests were in-
troduced to her—and that was a much
broader step to take in those less dar-
ing days than today's generation real-
izes.

Coincident with the annual Mer-
chandise Fair, now on, a fashion show
has been produced at one of the thea-
tres, with real people of the stage
taking the parts, around a story writ-
ten by Harry B. Smith, with lyrics by
Ted Snyder. Through two acts and
twenty-six scenes the beautiful ladies
disport themselves in the latest shrieks
from Paris, to the plaudits of men
and women alike. The show is not
built entirely for buyers, either. Ar-
nold Daly is perhaps the most noted
and most surprising actor appearing
in the production. He uses his famous
travesties to excellent advantage.
Others, picturesque and funny—those
are the only requirements of our re-
vues—are Jimmy Hussey, Edith Tal-
liferro, Carlotta Monterey, and Flo-
rence Morrison. It may be said with-
out fear of contradiction, that it is not
a safe play to take one's wife or
daughter, or even other ladies.

The art of acting has at last re-
ceived academic recognition. C um-
bia University has announced a course
in it for next year, to be taught
through co-operation with the Ameri-
can Academy of Dramatic Arts. Plays
written by students will be pro-
duced, as well as those which have at-
tained success on the professional
stage.

TO DO HONOR TO UNDERWOOD
"When Senator Underwood visits
my home town Aug. 3 you will see
the biggest turn-out and welcome any-
one ever received in North Alabama,"
said W. E. Crawford, postmaster of
Decatur, who came to Birmingham
Saturday especially to be on hand for
the celebration at East Lake in honor
of the Senator. "I want to tell you
that they are learning to appreciate
the senator in North Alabama, and I
believe I am safe in asserting that in
no part of the state is Underwood
sentiment as strong as in that section.
This sentiment has been growing es-
pecially strong here during the last
two years, and if he is nominated for
the presidency you are going to see
things doing in North Alabama. I was
just determined to come down here.



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and only regret that my wife had to
stay at home on account of the se-
rious illness of mother."—Birmingham
News.

CLARK MAKES BOND

(By Associated Press.)

ATLANTA, Ga., August 1—Edward
Young Clarke, imperial giant of the
Ku Klux Klan, appeared voluntarily
in the office of clerk of United States
district court for the northern district
of Georgia today, and made bond in
the sum of \$500 for his appearance
and trial on charges of violating the
postal law. Trial of the case had been
set for March 20, but at that time he
failed to appear and his bond was for-
feited.

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"The good die young" was never said
of a joke.

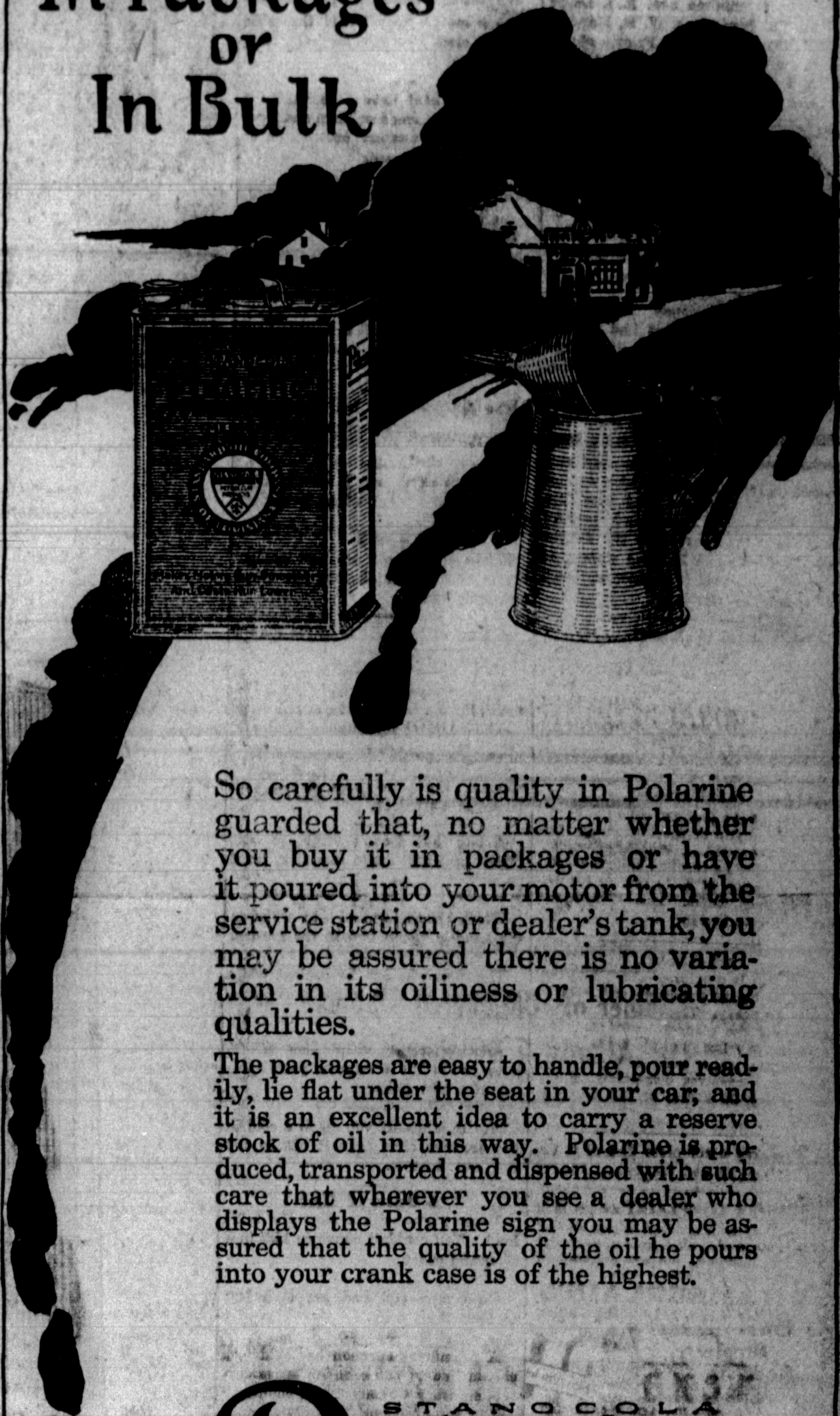
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The "WATER" Has Been "Squeezed Out"

In connection with the spectacular agitation as to
"Water" in railroad stocks—clearly demagogic, and stirred
up by a few publicity-seeking politicians for purely selfish
ends—it was stated that the railroad stocks of the country
carried "Water" to the extent of six or seven billion dollars.

The resultant investigations, which were forced on
Congress by these agitators, have been going on for ten
years, at an expense of eighty-five million dollars (fifty-
four million dollars of which was paid by the railroads) and
the recent tentative valuation reports of the Interstate
Commerce Commission, based on a survey of thirty-eight
railroad systems—comprising a little less than one-third
of the railroad mileage of the country—show the net value
of these railroads, above capitalization, to be \$741,393,-
984.00,—thus proving that, not only are these stocks not
"Watered" but that they are substantially solidified.

The truth is, that American railroad stocks have always
been singularly free from "Water"; and that in the few
instances in which stocks were "Watered", the water has
been squeezed thoroughly out by repeated re-organizations
and expenditures for improvements which have actually
raised property values above the amount of the out-
standing securities.

As a matter of fact, the railroads, while now carrying
the greatest traffic on record, have not been earning
annually the 5 1/4 per cent on valuation which Congress has
said that they are entitled to; and the situation therefore
seems to call for less interference with the railroads in
running their own business; rather than for further restric-
tions through unwise and unwarranted legislation.



Athens News

ATHENS, Ala., August 1.—D. H. Friend died of neuralgia of the heart at the home of his daughter, Mrs. Laura Paul of Athens, at noon Sunday, July 30. Mr. Friend was one of the oldest and best known men of Limestone county. He was 77 years of age July 2 of this year. He was a Confederate veteran, having served for two years and seven months in the army of the sixties. He has been for many years a devoted member of Friendship Presbyterian church, he being the last of the charter members of that church. He and his companion had been living together for fifty years and one week.

He leaves a wife, eight children and eighteen grand children to mourn his going. His children are: Mrs. Laura Paul of Athens; Mrs. W. R. Marx of Memphis, Tenn.; L. B. Friend of Albany; Miss Gracie Friend of Athens; Mrs. Sam Stewart of Athens; W. D. Friend of Lake City, Ark.; Frank Friend of Memphis, Tenn.; and John Friend of Athens.

His body was placed to rest in the Athens Cemetery on Tuesday by the side of the body of his father. The funeral services were conducted by Dr. J. O. Williams, of the First Baptist church and Dr. T. R. Husk, of the Presbyterian church.

All of the missionary societies of the churches of Athens had a most delightful meeting at the First Baptist church on Monday afternoon, July 30. The women of Athens have agreed to have four meetings of this nature each year. The program was given by the members of the society of the Baptist church. After a delightful missionary program which was interesting, instructive, and inspiring, a pleasant social hour was spent. An ice course was served to the delight of all. About one hundred women of Athens interested in missionary work attended the meeting.

To Tighten Eye-Glass Screws.
If you do not own a tiny screw-driver, when the screws holding the lenses in your eyeglasses become loose try using the blade of an ordinary pocket knife or the tip of a small pen in manner like a screw-driver to tighten them.

Golden Silence.
A slip of the foot can soon be recovered, but a slip of the tongue may do irreparable mischief. Words once spoken can never be recalled and frequently explanation of them merely makes bad matters worse. This is why silence may be golden.

Astronomical.
The sun is a million and a quarter times as big as the earth and 332,800 times as heavy. The size of the fixed stars and the planets varies greatly: some are smaller than the earth, while others are larger even than the sun. The earth revolves completely on its axis every 24 hours, or 365 times a year.

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He who cannot smile ought not to keep a shop.—Chinese Proverb.

Correct this sentence: "Be sure and come home at noon," said the wife, "for I'm cleaning house, and we'll have a delightful lunch."

The girl next door says that the combination of silk stockings and mosquito nets offers another obstruction to her front porch campaign.

She called me "Skunk" in wrathful tones.

But I made her repent.

She said "You're right, you aren't a skunk—

You never had a cent.

As a general thing it is hard to keep powder on a nose that crinkles when it laughs.

The fellow who is laid out by his mother-in-law isn't necessarily a dead one.

The love of money is the root of all evils, but we are all ready to pick the flowers.

If the apartments get any smaller the mice might think they are traps and stay away.

A wave of laughter is better than a storm of tears.

There appear to be fewer cyclopes to devastate the woodland now, but more city folk go out for Sunday picnics.

The world isn't such a bad place after all, and white shoes never are as large as they look.

A boy that doesn't want to eat things that will make him sick, must be sick.

Which brings to mind that a bird in the hand is worth two in the garden.

The man who can be patient while he teaches his wife to run a car, is a saint.

Another very good intelligence test is an invitation to express your opinion of a new baby.

Health Hint—If you catch a cold in the summer time take it out in the sun and heat it.

A Waste of Time
Never argue with a man who talks loud. You couldn't convince him in a thousand years.

Good men and bad are each less so than they seem.

A prominent surgeon has said: "I should like to put common sense corsets on every woman in this country." You son-of-a-gun!

A ball player is very much like the cylinders in a car. They do not always hit when you want the to.

Good people pray. Successful people pray and advertise.

New Orleans man sells cats by weight, what not so much purr.

Beauty used to be skin deep; now it is only powder deep.

The remarkable thing is not that the bootleggers keep it up, but that the patrons keep it down.

Somebody said that the greatest success in life have been out of a lot of errors that were corrected.

This finishes my tale, said the Office Cat as it backed into the lawn-mower.

After you have made good on your bet is plenty soon enough to begin telling the other fellows how he fell down.

"Did you hear the story about the plate of milk. It's the Office Cats."

Gold comes from Mines; Dollars from Minds.

Stray Bits of Wisdom.
It is right to be contented with what we have, but never with what we are.—Sir J. Mackintosh.

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INCREASING TRANSPORTATION TAX ON FARMERS AND WAGE EARNERS PROTESTED



Automobile Dealers and Repair Men Leaving Montgomery on the "Automotive Special" for Mobile Meeting.

Launching a state-wide fight to save owners of automobiles from additional heavy taxes, the Alabama Automotive Trades Association, composed of automobile dealers and repair men from all counties, met in Mobile on Monday, July 23rd, to protest against proposed legislation to increase the cost of operating automobiles in Alabama.

carried the delegates to the meeting, which was the seventeenth regular semi-annual gathering.

The automobile men contend that proposed legislation would increase the cost of operating automobiles in Alabama about 25 per cent. In view of the fact that 75 per cent of these cars are low-priced automobiles, owned by farmers and wage earners who use them to reach schools, churches and markets, it is argued that these

farmers and wage earners who could least afford to pay the proposed tax, would bear the burden of this tax.

The meeting also strongly urged that the two-cent-per-gallon tax on motor fuel being collected at the present time should be spent entirely on the building and maintenance of highways, thus saving automobile owners the cost of depreciation and maintenance of cars due to poor roads.

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